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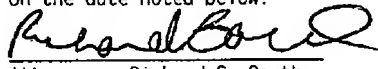
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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PTO NO. 1-571-273-8300

Serial No. : 10/559,641  
Applicants : Tatsuya MIYOSHI et al.  
Filed : December 2, 2005  
For : SURFACE-TREATED STEEL SHEET  
WITH EXCELLENT CORROSION...  
Art Unit : 1794  
Examiner : Michael E. LAVILLA  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 27, 2008, the  
term for response to which expires on August 27, 2008, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims  
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.